

DO YOUR MOWING HABITS NEED A MAKEOVER?



Mowing Safety Tips:

- Never allow children to ride on mowers as passengers.
- Keep children off the lawn while mowing.
- Pick up potential flying objects, such as stones and toys, before you start mowing.
- Do not pull a mower backward or ride it in reverse unless absolutely necessary. If you do mow backwards, carefully look for children behind you.
- Dress properly. Wear substantial shoes, long pants and close-fitting clothes. You may want eye or hearing protection.

Between 2014 and 2016, an average of **36,000** people were treated each year in hospital emergency rooms for riding mower injuries.